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Editorial

A BIG JOB WELL DONE

Election officials throughout Virginia are to be congratulated on the splendid way they handled the big job of Registration. It was truly a gigantic task that was turned over to them by the President of the United States and the Governor of the Virginia. They responded 100 per cent to the call for their unpaid services.

One of the biggest aspects of the Registration was to make it a complete one. Due to cooperation given by all news media, we doubt if any man between 21 and 36 can truthfully say that he did not know he was supposed to register Wednesday. However, if there be any such person, he should report without delay to his registrar.

And if there be those who deliberately stayed away and refused to register, regardless of their excuse, then such persons should be reported at once. The law is stern on the subject, and there should be no quibbling. This is a big country, but it is not big enough to wave the preverting furls of the American flag about slackers.

There will be many volunteer jobs during the next few months. Many will make personal sacrifices to serve their flag. Few will be however, more important than the initial step, the Registration, and for the handling of that big job, we laud the patriotic election officials.

NOT READY YET

We are not disposed at this time to consider the congressional or state candidate for Governor of Virginia. We had hoped that announcement of candidacies might be deferred until after the Presidential election, due to the ample time before the August, 1941, primaries.

However, two candidates have already entered the race, State Senator Cary, of Richmond, and Hon. Ashton Dovell, of Williamsburg.

We repeat, we do not care just now to discuss the merits of any candidate for Governor. But we do raise, at this early date, the question as to what section of Virginia is "entitled" to the governorship, provided, of course, that such section has a man of suitable ability.

It is our opinion that the Richmond-Williamsburg section of the Old Dominion is not in line for the governorship next year. Th late Governor John Garland Pollard was from both Richmond and Williamsburg. And the incumbent Governor is from Richmond. Tidewater or Eastern Virginia has had the Governorship eigh. ou of the past twelve years. The Southwest furnished Governor Peery, the Northern section furnished Governor Byrd. Therefore, all other points being equal, the Southside or Central section of Virginia should be heard from.

Our advice: keep an open mind!

Prayer For Courage

Listeners to a recent radio broadcast coming directly from one of London's underground shelters, were impressed by the cheer and humor of the people there waiting, as well as by their grim determination to stick it out till Britain won.

Especially touching was the wording of a request made by the minister of a church whose underground services were being used. He asked his listeners to say a prayer. He did not ask them to pray that he and the people with him might come out safe with their lives. He asked for no ease, comfort or protection. This is what he said:

"Say a prayer for us, that we may be able to keep our courage and be worthy of the spirit of England."
—From Alexandria Gazette.

RED CROSS AND AXIS

Not one cent of the money being raised in the annual Red Cross roll call now under way, will go to Germany, Italy or Japan, or to any territory occupied by those countries. Hence persons who feel reluctant to aid the Axis powers, need have no hesitation over renewing their Red Cross membership.

The roll call is held each year by the Red Cross primarily in order to provide its normal operating expenses. Much of the fund will be used in connection with activities incident to the great national defense program now under way in the United States. Local chapters will retain a part of each membership dollar for regular activities. National headquarters in Washington also receive a part of each dollar for expenses.

The Red Cross is on the job 24 so that the destitute in fire, flood, famine and war can be sheltered healed and fed. An average of 200 disasters a year are handled, in whole or in part, by this great agency of mercy. This year its burden is greater than in a long while, owing to the widespread devastation in the world, and the national defense effort in this country. But would-be donors can rest assured that their roll call contributions will not find a way into Axis-controlled territory.—From Times Dispatch.

OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS

Forgetting the shadow of gloom hanging over the world, it might be well to realize anew that opportunity knocks today as seldom before. There is urgent need for men with ideas. The call for skilled far exceeds the supply. Our educational system is weak in turning out skilled craftsmen, and the apprentice system is cutended.

Take a look at some of the things the world wants:

Material so which ice will not adhere, for a rplane wings;

Production of paints and varnish from domestic oils;

A satisfactory filling material for joints in highways;

A process to make rumber fireproof;

A transmitting tube for use on very high frequencies;

Glass which will refract without dispersion;

Glass suitable for 1,500 pound boiler gauges;

An aircraft fuel system which will compensate for the drop in pressure at high altitudes;

Tools for welding structural steel in the field;

Cast iron that will bend rather than break;

Steel alloy that will cast readily, machine freely, resist heat and acid;

Metal alloy that will resist pitting by electrical arcs;

Aluminum solder to work as well as lead solder;

Durable paint for ship bottoms;

A treatment to make paper impervious to moisture;

Photographic enlarging paper with the latitude of modern negatives.

Elimination of the present costly plastic molding machine;

Add on the list: Consider medical mysteries, social and political problems. We have merely scratched the surface of invention.

GET OUT THE FLAG

We'd like to see more American flags on display in Appomattox. A flag should be on dispaay in each public and business place, and in more of the homes.

This generation should welcome the opportunity to show its colors. America has given us about all we have. It is time we showed our patriotism, our appreciation and our loyalty.

Attend some church each Sunday.

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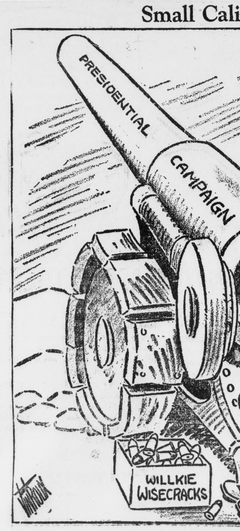

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D.
Dean of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.
(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for October 20

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THE MESSAGE OF JOHN THE BAPTIST

LESSON TEXT—Luke 3:3, 9-17, 21, 22.
GOLDEN TEXT—Bring forth, therefore, fruits worthy of repentence.—Luke 3:8.

Four centuries of silence! God made a loving appeal to His people through Malachi, the prophet (see lesson of June 23), but they failed to respond, and for about 400 years no prophet had appeared with an authoritative message from God. But now "God, who at sundry times and in divers manners spake in time past unto the fathers by the prophets" was ready in the "last days" to speak by "his Son" (Heb. 1:1,2).

Before the Lord should come, however, the prophet Isaiah (40:3-5) had declared that a voice was to come out of the wilderness to cry, "Prepare ye the way of the Lord." The great honor of that ministry did not fall upon the religious or political leaders mentioned in Luke 3:1, but "the word of God came unto John . . . in the wilderness." When God calls a preacher, something vital and interesting is about to happen.

I. The Preacher—His Call and Character.

It is significant that the call of God for this ministry passed by the mighty of Rome, which was politically powerful, holding sway over the world of its day. It is doubly significant that it passed by Jerusalem, the religious center of the Jewish nation. God was not looking for influence, prestige, or position. He was looking for a man, and He found this man. The call came to him in the wilderness. Where is God's man for our day?

The character of John is revealed to us by Scripture as unique and rugged. He was a striking figure as he came suddenly out of the wilderness, but the outstanding qualification of John was that he was humble and obedient to God's will. Upon such a man the power of God may fall in all its fullness.

II. His Message—Its Nature and the Reaction (vv. 3, 8-14).

Repentance, as evidenced by baptism, this was John's word to the day. He did not grant them absolution from their sins, but in repentance they were to look forward to the cleansing from sin by the washing of the blood of Christ who was to come. John was the forerunner of Christ. His message of repentance was a preparation for the coming message of redemption.

The reaction of the people is expressed in the question, "What must we do?" Much more would be accomplished for Christ in our day if that were the response of people to the preaching of the truth. Instead of criticizing or commending the preacher, or the sermon, let us ask, "What shall I do about it?" and then let us do it.

The answer of John was that each one should, by his works, show the reality of his repentance in the details of his daily work and life. Of course, the all-important thing is that a man should believe in Christ, and by faith receive Him as Saviour, but that faith must show itself in daily living or it is meaningless, and, in fact, nonexistent. The world is full of those who need to answer our Lord's own question, "Why call ye me Lord, Lord, and do not the things which I say?" (Luke 6:46).

III. His Ministry to Jesus—the Baptism and Heavenly Response (vv. 15-17, 21, 22).

The forthright honesty and the humility of John appeared in his immediate correction of the people's mistaken idea that he was the Christ. He made clear that his baptism with water, indicating their change of mind concerning sin, would only have real meaning as the coming One—his Lord and ours—would change their natures by the baptism of fire and of the Spirit.

Jesus, who knew no sin of which to repent, took the place of a penitent sinner and was baptized by John. Thus He, the sinless One, entered upon His public ministry and His work of redemption by taking the place of fallen humanity. What infinite grace and condescension!

As He prayed, after John had baptized Him, the heavens opened and the Holy Spirit, taking the form of the gentle dove, rested upon Him. God the Father spoke forth heaven's estimate of our Saviour; He was declared to be the "beloved Son" of God, in whom the Father was "well pleased."

This attestation of His divinity and recognition of His spotless life and character was for Him, but not for Him alone. It speaks to us, even as it has spoken to all men through the centuries, of the One who is Saviour and Lord. "He is able also to save them to the uttermost that come unto God by him, seeing he ever liveth to make intercession for them. For such an high priest became us, who is holy, harmless, undefiled, separate from sinners, and made higher than the heavens" (Heb. 7:25, 26).

Vera Personal Items Reported

Vera, Oct. 15.- Mr. and Mrs. Buck Coleman, of Richmond, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Coleman.

Mrs. Leslie Turnes, of Prospect, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. H. Coleman this week.

Walter Robertson, of Washington spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Robertson.

Miss Daisy Robertson, of Lynchburg also visited Mrs. T.H.Robertson Sunday.

Miss Edna Chernault spent Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Chernault.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Garrett spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Garrett, of Vera.

Miss Ellen Wilson spent the week-end with her parents.

Mrs. Willie Covington, of Vinton is visiting friends at Vera this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Roy, and Walter Abbitt visited friends at Vera last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Coleman visited Mrs. Maude Abbitt Saturday night.

Abbitt Coleman spent Saturday night with Mrs. Maude Abbitt.

Blue Stamp Plan Helps Sale of Farm Products

"One important agricultural aspect of the food stamp plan deserves emphasis," says Secretary Wallace. "By making the blue stamps good only for the 12 or 15 surplus commodities which are in the worst price position from a farmer's point of view, an extraordinarily high consumption of those products is brought about, considering the income of the families using the stamps. This would not be the case if the blue stamps were good for all of the several hundred items in a grocery store.

"A leading poultry publication recently made a survey of egg consumption under the stamp plan in Springfield, Ill. It found that the consumption of eggs, among families using the stamps, increased 560 per cent after the program was inaugurated. This is about the same percentage indicated by our own studies. Such an astounding result is possible because the blue stamps narrow purchases to the relatively few surplus products which are most burdensome from a farmer's standpoint. Those using the stamps, however, have a much more adequate and a much more varied diet than it was possible to make available through distribution from commodity depots. The effect of such an increase in consumption upon farm income will become apparent as the program expands."

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Ernest Lowe and ..., spent Sunday ... Robert Roach, of ...

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Chap

Chap, Oct. 15.- A. B. Y.P.U. rally was held at Central church Friday night. Several churches were represented and an enjoyable time was reported.

Dinner guests of Mrs. Everette Ferguson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Harvey, and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fleshman and W. H. Ferguson.

Recent visitors of Mr. M. E. Pugh and Dean Pugh were: Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Pugh and daughter, Joyce, of West Virginia, and Mr. and Mrs. Van Pugh and son, Edward.

Miss Clara Marsh spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Dean Pugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Powell and children spent the week-end recently here.

Mrs. Annie Powell is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Foster.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tester on October 9th, a baby boy.

Mrs. Neighbors continues ill in the home of Walter Arrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Siern have been on a visit to their son.

Visitors of Mrs. S. B. Fore recently were Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Pugh, Mrs. Alta Boaze, Mersa Boaze, Audrey Pugh, Clara Marsh and Mrs. Tilden Paulette and son, Harold.

Mrs. W. B. Harvey, Mr. A. M. Goodman and Floyd Coleman called in this section one day last week.

Mrs. S. B. Fore and Mrs. Eugene Wood spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Thornton Fore.

Mrs. S. B. Fore spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. W. H. Ferguson.

Mell Jones has his new house completed.

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Pamplin

Pamplin, Oct. 14.- Mrs. Tom Slayton, of Hampden Sydney spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Slayton.

Mrs. N. A. Davis spent the day in Farmville last Friday.

Mrs. H.M. Robertson visited Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Paulette and Mrs. Emma Thomas, of Evergreen last week.

Mrs. L. M. Southall was a week-end guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Neal, in Farmville.

Mrs. C. C. Rosser and Miss Enrlean Rosser were dinner guests in the home of Mrs. N. L. McClenny Saturday.

Miss Merle Davis, of Richmond, was here for the week-end.

Hollis Ligon, of V.P.I., spent the week-end at his home here.

Mrs. C. C. Rosser, Jimmy and Raymond Rosser spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Hopping.

Mrs. J. F. McPherson and Miss Elsie McPherson, of Lynchburg spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pittenger.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Topping, and Mrs. N. L. McClenny spent Monday in the home of Mrs. C. C. Rosser.

Those attending the group meeting at Central church Friday night were Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Black, Mrs. Stanley Baldwin, Misses Margaret Ligon, Nannie Cain Brooks, Aileen McClinny, Mildred Slayton and Elizabeth Terry.

This country and Mexico may sign mutual defense pact.

English cruiser, Ajax, sinks two Italian destroyers.

Raymond Moley spoke last night at Willkie rally in Richmond.

Read the Classified Ads.

New model cars are now on display by local dealers.

Schools closed yesterday after brief patriotic programs.

Phone 30 with Personals.

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FARM TOPICS

GRAZING CONTROL RETARDS EROSION

Over-Used Pastures Thin Rapidly in Drouth.

By RALPH O. LEWIS
(Member, Soil Conservation Service)

Grazing control is a basic practice in any successful effort to control erosion on range or pasture lands.

Light grazing promotes a vigorous grass growth which helps to slow up run-off, increases moisture penetration into the soil, and often prevents gullying. Grass eaten down to the surface of the ground does not have a chance to maintain a vigorous root system and thins out quicker under drouth conditions.

Whether it is gullying, sheet erosion, or wind erosion that has been affecting the land, it is practically always aggravated by close, heavy grazing.

Contour furrows, gully control check dams, and shrub and tree plantings in gullied areas are good erosion control practices in many instances, but their value is practically always increased by proper grazing management. The use of temporary supplementary pastures such as Sudan grass, sweet clover, and other adapted grazing plants is recommended as a means of lightening the grazing load on the native pastures.

Lands that have been retired from cultivation and are being regrassed should be completely protected from grazing until the grass stands are well established, after which they can serve as additional pasture.

Farmers Watch World Affairs, Survey Reveals

American farmers today are just as deeply concerned with what's going on in steel mills and shoe factories and grocery stores, and in the war abroad, as they are in whether they're going to have good "growing weather" next season.

This was discovered by the board of experts who wrestled with the nation's agricultural problems at Fortune magazine's seventh "round table," results of which are reported in that magazine. The discussion brought together dirt farmers and a minority array of industrialists, distributors and labor representatives from many sections of the country.

Particular emphasis was laid on the tie-up between renewed farm prosperity on the one hand, and, on the other, industrial recovery, a strengthening of the nation's export market, and further co-ordination of farm production and marketing.

"Farm income today remains lower than in 1929, because the farmer has lost part of his former market on account of the industrial depression and the international situation. The loss of such markets, unaccompanied by a proportionate reduction in output, explains why farm prices remain comparatively low. Government can administer temporary aid, but the farm population as a whole cannot materially increase its income until industry provides a much greater degree of full employment," it was pointed out.

Defining the marketing problem, members noted that "agriculture suffers from a structural defect. Divided up into about 7,000,000 farm units, American farmers have not devised methods of organization enabling them to adjust production and marketing in relation to price as effectively as do industry and organized labor."

Forum members also pointed out that farm co-operatives working with grower associations and food chains are making progress in reducing the cost of distribution, an element in increasing returns to farmers.

Rural Briefs

Low-producing hens lay most of their eggs in the spring and do not add much to the fall production.

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Tests show that more than 75 per cent of the pressure gauges in use on potato spray rigs are inaccurate.

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Steers fed on ground ear corn tend to bloat less when on legume pasture than animals getting shelled corn.

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An Australian breeder is reported to have successfully crossed a guinea hen with a White Leghorn cock. The chicks are said to resemble Leghorns, and are called guinlegs.

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Records of hundreds of farm accidents in the files of the federal department of agriculture show that most of them were caused by carelessness, haste, use of makeshift repairs, taking chances, and using machinery without safety guards in place.

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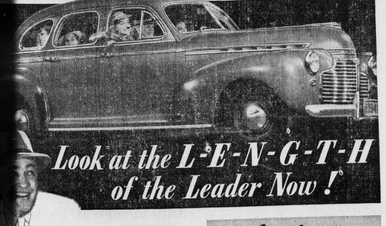
All the soybeans in the United States 60 years ago were a handful brought from China by a missionary. In 1939, 10,000 carloads of soybeans rolled into one city for processing.



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Forest View Events

Snake Charmers Use Most Dangerous Snakes

There is in Burma, at a little place called Pops, a strange family of snake charmers. They scorn all ordinary snakes and use only the fiercest and most dangerous snake in the world, the Hamadryad, or King Cobra. This snake is probably the only snake in the world which does not fear man. It attacks on sight and owing to its great size and strength, cannot easily be killed or evaded. Its bite, like that of all the cobras, is certain death; and yet this intrepid band of snake charmers scorn to remove the fangs or poison bags from their charges.

A modern Pops snake charmer, before he goes on a hunting expedition has to propitiate the Nats (Gods?) and solemnly promise that the captured snake will be freed after six, nine or 12 months, as the case may be.

When a snake hunt is on, the leader goes to a place where snakes abound, taking with him four or five men. They search for the most suitable snake for their purpose, and on finding such, they all surround it, the leader being opposite the head. If by chance the leader is bitten, he will probably live, for he possesses powerful antidotes against snake poison.

Scientific Aids

Haystacks with chimneys and mechanical vegetable "tasters" were exhibited to more than 1,000 western Washington farmers attending the second annual field day of the western Washington experiment station in Puyallup, Wash.

The farmers were studying horticultural experiments, poultry and farm animal feeding practices, and exhibits of grass plots, berry field and dairy herds and barns.

The chimney - topped haystacks were exhibited as an experiment in a new method of curing hay. Although results of the experiment are not ready for publication, researchers explained that early studies of the new process already indicate success.

The mechanical vegetable "taster" was demonstrated in the frozen foods laboratories in connection with the station's research in new methods of determining tenderness of vegetables by machinery.

Swordpoint Records Exploit

"Here was the Gen. Don Diego de Vargas, who conquered for our Holy Faith and Royal Crown all of New Mexico at his own expense in the year 1692."

The above inscription carved with his swordpoint on inscription Rock, El Morro National Monument, is perhaps the most glamorous of all the autographs incised there by the Conquistadores. They were discovered in 1848 by the first Americans to explore this section of New Mexico, Lieut. J. H. Simpson, afterward General Simpson, and the artist and writer, R. H. Kern. They added their own names to the autographs, which include five of the early Spanish governors.

Among them is Manuel DeSilva Nieto who succeeded Onate, founder of Santa Fe, as governor of New Mexico. Don Diego de Vargas is buried under the altar of the old Spanish church in Santa Fe.

Tuesday, November 5, is election day.

Latest Gallop poll shows Willkie is gaining on F. D. R.

Forest View, Oct. 15.- The farmers are busy preparing for another wheat crop, and some are housing corn.

Chap Nash is now working in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Nash and little son, Clyde, will follow in a few weeks, if he continues to work at his job. Mrs. Nash is now visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burks near Alavista.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. M. Jones moved into their new home last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Marshall will move this week into the home they vacated, which he bought of Z. M. Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall have been in or near Nruna the past several years. We welcome them in to our community.

We understand Marvin Moses has accepted a job in Roanoke.

Mrs. Jones, of Portsmouth, Ohio, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Collier Marshall has returned home. She was accompanied home by her little daughter, Helen, who has been staying with her aunt, Mrs. Marshall, the past several months.

Mrs. A. D. Marshall spent last week-end in Lynchburg with relatives. A. D. Marshall and little son, Jimmie, joined her on Sunday. They are expecting to take Jimmie back soon for hospital treatment or operation for adenoid trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mayberry and Tom Mayberry, of Richmond, visited in the home of Artie Mayberry recently.

Miss Ilene Mayberry and Mr. Dixon, of Newport News, were married some time ago, and were visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Artie Mayberry recently.

Wednesday, October 16, is a shaky time for our boys who are between the ages of 21 and 36. We hope and pray earnestly, that to register will be all they will have to do. May some unforeseen incident take place so this awful war may cease.

James Ford and Miss Marian Owen thought they surprised some one! But, did they? Ha! Mr. and Mrs. Ford are on a northern trip.

N. D. Marshall is feeling better at this writing.

Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Collins Jr. paid several calling trips the first Sunday P. M.

They were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Nash, and called in the homes of N. D. Marshall, J. A. Martin, Otey Jones and Mr. Arrington.

Registration Day was a cold, wet day, but the men turned out just the same.

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